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COLORFUL CELEBRATION MARKS ARMISTICE DAY

Legion Posts Unite to Honor Holiday at Centerville

Armistice day was fittingly celebrated in Washington Township Monday, at joint rites held by the Washington Township and Pleasanton American Legion posts. Scene of the colorful ceremonies was the Centerville nigh school field, where the main event of the afternoon, a football game between Pleasanton and Washington high school alumni teams, attracted grid fans from all points in southern Alameda county.

Preceding the game, the members of both posts, led by their commanders, Lon Ruppel, of Pleasanton, and Manuel Swartz, of Niles, marched the length of the field, behind the colors, which were advanced by the local post's rifle squad. Thirty seconds silence followed, with taps blown by E. Dixon Bristow, past commander of the Washington township post. The national anthem was played by the Washington Alumni band, under the leadership of John Cattaneo. The Centerville concert band, of the Druids grove, was on hand to furnish part of the musical program.

Outcome of the game, while it left small opportunity for celebration on either side, was at least mutually satisfying. The score, at the end of the contest was tied six all, each team having scored one touchdown.

The lone Washington score came late in the first quarter after a long pass placed the local boys in scoring position. Wes Raso, at quarterback, crossed the

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Petition Asked For Mission Bond Issue

Taxpayers in the Mission San Jose school district have approved of a small bond issue of approximately $3000, to supplement a WPA irant of $8000 for the construction of an auditorium at the school. Petitions, asking that an election be held, are being drawn up by county officials.

The -3000 issue, to extend over a period of ten years will increase the tax rate only a fraction of a cent, it is pointed out. Approval of the district was evidenced at a recent meeting held at the Mission school, at which the matter was laid before the voters.

In addition to the construction of the auditorium, other projects, such as the installation of a new well and pumping equipment will be made, in the event the bonds are voted.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. J. W. Jones, of Salt Lake City, is visiting for a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry. The Ferrys and Mrs. Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knudsen, at Pleasanton, Tuesday evening.

MISS MAE FIELDS IS WED TO H.J. MILLER AT RITES HERE

At a simple and attractive wedding ceremony, held in the Corpus Christi church, Niles, Saturday morning, Miss Mae Fields, Niles girl, became the bride of Harry James Miller, of Newark. The Rev. Father Emmet O'Conner officiated.

The new Mrs. Miller, a native of Niles, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Fields, of Second street. A graduate of local schools, she has been employed at the MacMarr store here for the past seven years. Miller, an employee at the Graham Manufacturning plant at Newark, is a native of Missouri. He has been a resident of this district for nineteen years.

The bride, who was attended by Miss Mary Damas, as maid of honor, was attired in a tailored suit of navy blue, with hat and gloves to match. She wore a corsage of gardenias. Anthony Fields, brother of Mrs. Miller, was best man.

Following the wedding ceremony the bridal couple, with several close friends, were honored at a luncheon given by the bride's parents at their Second street home. Mr. and Mrs. Miller left immediately aft for San Francisco, where they remained until yesterday.

A reception, given by Miss Mary Damas, was held at the Odd Fellows' hall here last night. It was a public affair, numerous friends and acquaintances being on hand to welcome the newlyweds.

The couple has taken up residence in a house on Second street owned by Mrs. Alex Butler, sister of Mrs. Miller. They will remain there during the construction of their new home, which they plan to build here. Mrs. Miller will retain her position at the Niles store.

San Mateo Judge Killed In Truck-Auto Accident

The automobile accident death toll reached into southern Alameda county last Wednesday, to include Richard E. O'Farrell, San Mateo justice of the peace, when his car crashed into the rear of a truck driven by Alfred Vierra, of Newark. The fatal accident occurred on the San Mateo bay bridge, where Vierra had stopped his big vehicle at the toll station. He was not held.

OAKLAND DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Fournier, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fournier, Mrs. Rose Fournier and Mr. and Mrs. James Cull attended a dinner given at the young Democratic club, at the Hotel Leamington, Saturday night.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

¶ Space in the Register's calendar of events will hereafter be available at $1.00 per item, for not over four insertions if there is an admission charge to the affair advertised. Club dinners, etc., at which members pay for their meal, are not included in this category, and will be published free of charge, as will be notice of events to which admission is free. Organizations paying the $1.00 rate will have that amount refunded to them as a rebate on printing jobs connected with the event advertised.

Nov. 14—Irvington Businessmen's Turkey Whist, Maple Hall, Irvington, 8:30 P. M.
Nov. 16—Benefit Dance (Corpus Christi) Garden of Allah, 8:30 a.m.
Nov. 18—Junior Chamber, Florence Restaurant, 7 P. M.
Nov. 22—Niles Junior Chamber Turkey Whist, Veterans' Memorial Building, Niles, 8:30 P. M.
Nov. 30—S. E. S. Benefit Dance, Garden of Allah, 8:30 P. M.

PLANS FOR NEW BRIDGE WILL BE COMPLETED SOON

$50,000.00 Structure To Replace Old Bell Ranch Bridge

Plans for a new bridge, to replace present structure across Alameda creek at the Bell ranch, on the Decoto-Machado's Corners road, will be completed by County Surveyor Burnett Hamilton this week, it is said. Representatives of the surveyor's office inspected the site early this week.

Specifications call for a new bridge, to cost in the neighborhood of $50,000. It is hoped that a WPA grant of $8000 for the the project, in order that work may begin soon after the first of the year.

Replacement of the bridge, promised by county authorities, was advocated by the Decoto Junior Chamber of Commerce in a recent drive, following a long list of accidents at the antiquated structure now in use. Of ancient vintage, the narrow bridge is entirely unsuited to modern traffic needs, the Decoto civic group held. A sharp turn at either end make ease of crossing impossible.

LOW UNDERPASS INADEQUATE FOR MODERN TRAFFIC

Sunday Motorists Held Up for Two Hours By Wedged Truck

Need for improvement at the canyon road underpass was further demonstrated Sunday night, when a huge beer truck, en route to San Francisco from Los Angeles, wedged into the low structure. Traffic was held up for over two hours, while the driver, whose name was not learned, attempted to extricate the big vehicle. He finally let the air out of the truck tires, lowering it sufficiently to back out.

Another truck, loaded with apples, from Watsonville, jammed into the tiny underpass recently. A portion of the load was swept off much to the delight of "Old Town" youngsters, who swarmed to recover the rolling fruit. The driver was unable to salvage any of it.

The Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce at a recent meeting voted to concentrate on having the troublesome underpass included in the highway realignment project here, if and when construction is started. Sam Kerns, in an interview with Earl Lee Kelly, public works administrator, received the word of that official that the underpass improvement would be seriously considered.

At the same time the junior group is investigating possibilities of having Eye street opened across the tracks to Vallejo street. County Surveyor Burrett Hamilton was sent a letter this week, asking that the project be investigated

Truck Speeds Off After Forcing Car From Road

Carelessness of a truck driver, whose identity was not established, almost resulted in serious injury for George V. Viereck, San Francisco man, early Saturday morning, when the big vehicle forced Viereck's machine into the steep embankment near the St. Joseph's cemetery, south of Mission San Jose.

The San Francisco man, driving north, lost control of his machine after it struck the bank, allowing it to plunge back across the road into the other side of the cut. Viereck, though unhurt, was severely shaken. His car was badly damaged. The truck did not stop

TWO SENTENCED, ONE FREED ON RECKLESS DRIVING COUNTS

Two motorists were sentenced and one acquitted on charges of reckless driving at the Niles justice court Friday afternoon. The two convicted drivers, Catalina Soupan, of Lathrop, and John Canha, received sentences of fifty and thirty days in the county jail in lieu of fines. Alvin J. Scott, of Oakland, who was arrested at Alvarado on October 20 after his car had crashed into a hotel there, was freed. All three drivers pleaded not guilty.

Soupan was arrested near Warm Springs recently, when his car crashed into that of Mrs. Ernestine V. Genesy, after sideswiping those of G. M. Tully and E. C. Rucker, both of Oaklkand. The latter drivers testified at the trial. Soupan, who refused the services of the public defender, was charged with two counts; reckless driving and no license. It developed at the trial that his license, a temporary one, had been cancelled at San Jose two months previously, with instruction that he was not to drive a car until it was renewed. It was originally reported that Soupan was intoxicated, but the district

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MRS. ZELINDA ROSE ANSWERS FINAL CALL HERE

A resident of Niles for more than forty years, Mrs. Zelinda Gonzales Rose, 63, of Second street, Niles, passed away at her home there Sunday. Funeral services were held at the Corpus Christi church here yesterday morning, with the Rev. Father Emmet O'Conner officiating.

Mrs. Rose, who was a native of the Azores, was well-known here. She was a member of the S. P. R. S. I. and active in church affairs. The following children survive her: Mrs. Mary Carlo, Mrs. Joseph Alameda, Mrs. Alton Johnson, Mrs. John Alves, and Frank, John, Joseph, Clarence and Anthony Rose. A sister, Mrs. Antone Lopez, also survives.

Interment was in the Holy Ghost cemetery, at Centerville.

Sam Kerns to Manage Union Station at Niles

Sam Kerns, president of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce, and one of the district's popular young businessmen, has taken over the Champion service station at Niles, recently rented by the Union Oil Company. Kerns took over supervision of the station last week-end, when details of the transaction were completed.

Jack Greeley, representative for the Union Oil Company here, stated that Kerns was chosen for the post after a survey of businessmen made by officials of the company. Kerns was unanimously backed by business sentiment here. Greeley stated that they expect support of the station will justify the company's selection.

Kerns, who will soon have the latest in equipment installed at the station, calls attention to his "One Stop" service, to care for cars from "radiator to tail light."

James L. Bunker, assistant count superintendent of school, visited Miss Celeste Bunker, his sister, here one day last week.

NEW ADS THIS WEEK

FOR SALE, RADIO—Thirteen-tube, high-class machine in perfect condition. Very cheap. 312 K street, Niles. N14-21p

FOR SALE—Girl's bicycle, $15. Excellent Christmas gift. Call at Rose's garage, Niles. N14c

RECEPTION HELD FOR Y.L.I. GRAND PRESIDENT HERE

150 Honor Mrs. Manning On Official Visit Last Thursday

De Guadalupe institute, of the Y. L. I., entertained members from neighboring institutes, and high officials of the organization last Thursday night, in honor of Grand President Geneveive Manning, who paid her official visit to the Niles group. There were 150 in attendance, constituting one of the largest gatherings ever held by the institute.

Guests, besides numerous members of the Livermore institute, included representatives from the following: Hannah institute, of San Leandro; Isle City institute, of Alameda; Carmel institute, of San Francisco; Angela institute, of San Bruno.

The official guests included: Grand Director Florence Leal, Grand Secretary Josephine Malloy, Grand Trustee Mary MacCarthy, Past Grand Presidents Ethel Cullen and Francis O'Callahan, East Bay District Deputy Grace McGiveny, Martha Mahar, deputy of the institute here and Edith Childs, district deputy of Santa Clara county. Father Emmet O'Conner, of the Corpus Christi church and Father Flately, of the St. Edward's parish, Newark, were guests.

Preceding the evening's entertainment, which was staged by members of the junior institute, Mrs. Mamie Perry was presented with a pin as a reward for her activity in the recent membership drive. Eleven new names were added to the roster. Miss Florence Martinelli, first member of the junior group to receive the honor, was made a member of the senior organization. Miss Martinelli, Mary Virginia Bristow, Mary Pimentel and Edith Alves all received awards for their work in the junior membership campaign.

Under the direction of Mrs. Clarence Crane, the junior institute put on a unique entertainment honoring Mrs. Manning.

A candy sale, directed by the Misses Lucille Freitas and Antonia Espinosa, of the juniors, was held. Grand President Manning was presented with an attractive gift.

WINTER CLOTHES TO BE SOLD AT TOYON RUMMAGE SALE

Warm winter clothing will be made available to families in this district beginning today, at the Toyon Branch rummage sale, to be held in the old Safeway store on First street here. The event, held annually by the charitable group, will be directed this time by Mrs. Walter Robie, appointed chairman by Mrs. J. R. Whipple, branch leader. Others to ssist are Mrs. W. H. Ford, Mrs. Walter Watt, Mrs. Fred Muller and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Old books, magazines, jars and other useful articles will be on sale in addition to the wearing apparel. The sale will continue through Saturday.

INSURANCE AGENTS TO MEET THIS EVENING

The Alameda County Association of Insurance Agents will hold their regular meeting at the Florence restaurant here tonight.

Time for the dinner will be 6:30 p. m., according to notices sent out to members by E. A. Ellsworth, of Niles, secretary. Speaker for the evening will be Frank O. Colridge, of Oakland.

Farrington Dairy—pure Jersey milk and cream.—S6tfc.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

By Norman H. Parks, Publisher Register

No Fool Like an Old Fool

The San Francisco Chronicle carried a full-page feature article, highly illustrated, about Senator William Gibbs McAdoo, in its Police Gazette section of November 10. The same page was run in at least one metropolitan daily in every city in America.

As you may well guess, the review of the senator's recent activities was highly humorous and the ridicule, as worked into the caricature of McAdoo, the old-young bridesgroom, in the giddiest striped trousers, brought down the house in a roar of laughter.

The senator has become a national joke.

While California is not without a keen sense of humor, the idiosyncrasies so apparent in the second childhood of its junior senator are proving more a source of shame than merriment, and it will be excused by the nation, we are sure, if citizens of this commonwealth do not enjoy to the full extent the humor excited elsewhere by the strange antics of a seventy-one-year-old official attempting to play the part of a gay Romeo.

The state is being disgraced and humiliated by a once brilliant man turned disgustingly senile. There should be found some legal means of getting him out of office. Political units, and commercial organizations from Eureka to Chula Vista, and from the Sierras to the sea, should organize to the end that sufficient pressure could be brought to bear to force his resignation. A recall would be expensive, but if no other way is open to rid the state of the McAdoo odium, then that expedient should not be barred because of its expense. He should be expelled from participation, officially, in our government and advised to remain in Hawaii, land of love and amorous dreams.

Richardson Takes His Pen In Hand—

Our readers will recall, if they jog their memories a bit, that early in October we ran a humorous editorial about Friend Richardson and his new air-cooled offices in Sacramento. Commenting upon a story to the effect that where the superintendent of banks previously was allotted very meager quarters and one unfortunate employee, under the new order of things he was getting into high-class company in the financial district, and at his beck and call were to be a young army of privates to carry on the duties that previously but one work-slave performed. We opined that might be where some of the taxpayers' hard-earned money was going, and up and said so.

Richardson wrote us a letter about the squib, that to the trained copy reader contained a combination of courtesy and quiet sarcasm. The letter was withheld from publication until the one-time governor authorized its publication. Today we received a note from the superintendent of banks telling us that it might be a good idea to run it, for the delectation and edification of Township Register readers.

Here it is:

SUPERINTENDENT OF BANKS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
San Francisco, California, October 4, 1935

Norman H. Parks,
Editor, "Township Register,"

Dear Sir:

I want to thank you for your "Editorial Comment" on the first page of your issue of October 3 of the "Township Register." The kindness of your spirit is appreciated and I hope you will pardon a few corrections in the facts.

The main office of the Banking Department is in San Francisco, at 343 Sansome Street, in the financial center of this great city and opposite the Federal Reserve Bank. Here we have the whole fourth floor of the building and our department is so well arranged that I hope you will do us the honor to call some day and look it over. The department also has headquarters in the State Building in Los Angeles.

The office at Sacramento, as the editorial in the "Times-Star" shows, was one small room in the "Highlands of the Mind" building. That has now been moved to 819 Jay Street, where the California Trust & Savings Bank, an eighteen-million dollar concern, is being liquidated.

I am glad that you have accented the fact that the quarters in Sacramento are air cooled, as that makes it possible for the employes to do more and better work and, hence, is in the interest of economy.

With kindest regards, and thanking you for your publicity, I am,

Yours sincerely,
FRIEND W. RICHARDSON,
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-:-ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS-:-

Schoolmates Guests at Hallowe'en Party Here

Sally Anne and Vivian May Logan entertained a number of their school mates and friends at a Hallowe'en party recently. Among those who attended were Shirely Barbara, Marylin and James Chrichfield, Clifford Densmore, Marian, John and Ruth Zeiglar, Beatrice Matzce, Peggy and Richard Munger.

The mothers helped Mrs. A. K. Logan in serving.

MOVE TO HAYWARD

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mateo, who were recently married and have been living with Mr. Mateo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mateo, have moved to Hayward.

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ALVINA SANTOS IS GUEST OF HONOR AT PARTY

Miss Alvina Santos was honored at a birthday party on Armistice day and evening. The decorations were carried out in a red, white and blue color scheme. The main table held a beautiful center piece depicting a war scene.

The evening was spent in playing whist. Mrs. Emily Noia was the winner of the first prize.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Anker Christersen, Mrs. L. Silveria, Mr. and Mrs. Seraphine Noia, Mrs. Mary Davilla, Mrs. Zelma Correia, Mr. and Mrs. John Menezes, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacinto, A. Davilla, the Misses Carmen Lamberino, Evelyn Correia, Alice and Alberta Menezes, Alvina and Winifred Santos and Alden and Mervy Christersen, Joseph Jacinto, Jr., and Ernest Bettencourt.

MOVE TO NEWARK

Mr. and Mrs. Gaspar C. Pine and family have moved to Newark, where they will make their future home. Mr. Perry, of Newark has purchased the Pine residence here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Dutra spent the week-end in Hollister and Monterey with Dutra's aunt, Mrs. Enos Garcia.

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Mrs. Joe Lezand and daughters, Bernice and Alexia, spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. A. Dutra, in Oakland.

BAZAAR EXTENDED

Abundant donations for the St. Anne's bazaar, held last Friday and Saturday, will necessitate another day of sales, to be held tomorrow night at the S. D. E. S. hall, Alvarado. The original affair was well attended.

SEE CLIPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rose, Miss Antoinette Rose, Alvin Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacinto, and family, Winifred Santos and Alice and Alberta Menezes motored to Alameda on Armistice day to see the China Clipper, huge sea plane.

SEE GRID GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Seraphine Davner, Bernice and Seraphine, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silveria and family, Clarence Flores, Frank Roderick, John Machado and Raymond Dias attended the Armistice day football game at Centerville.

ARIZONA STAY

Stanley Roderick, Raymond Cushing and Manuel Amaral will leave Friday for Arizona, where they will spend the next two months.

Mrs. C. M. Anderson spent the holiday in Fresno with her son.

Arrival of Pennsylvania Dutch

The Pennsylvania Dutch came to America as early as 1683 from the Rhine valley and from Switzerland. They came in large numbers for reasons of religious freedom and with a sure instinct they picked Pennsylvania's rich lands. They erected large Swiss barns and marked these barns with the six-lobed symbol of the conventionalized tulip, which has a "magical" significance. Many of the Pennsylvania Dutch always have believed in witches. These barn symbols are to help keep evil spirits away. Witch doctors still practice here and there.

The Original General Sherman

It was Chauncey Depew, himself a noted after-dinner speaker, who said that General Sherman of Civil war fame, was "the readiest and most original talker of his time." At banquets his fashion was to rise and address the musicians instructing them as to the music they were to play. Then, to the waiting orators, "Each speaker is to speak as long as he holds his audience." Then, to the guests, "A good hearty laugh and marked applause are all right, but don't drawl it out into a long giggle or into a noise. Let it be short and emphatic."

Thirty Watches in Clock

Among the world's wonder clocks is one constructed by a convict who once finished a term in a Continental penitentiary, says the Montreal Herald. Every piece of his strange timepiece, down to the tiniest wheel, is made of wood. The clock contains 30 different watches, each showing the correct time in one of the principal cities of the world. Another feature is a calendar which shows the passing of the days, weeks and months.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Subject of sermon for Sunday, November 17, "Mortals and Immortals."

Sunday at 11 a. m.
Wednsday at 8 p. m.
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Reading room is open before and

Personal Items

Mrs. Walter Josephs, accompanied by Miss Florence Aust, attended the California-Washington game, at Berkeley, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gomes, of Sunnyvale, visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gomes, and Mr. and Mrs. George Duffy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Hancock Mrs B. L. Thane and Miss Dorothy Hancock were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane.

Mrs. L. E. Voyer and two daughters Miss Elsie McCarthy and Miss Elizabeth McCarthy, visited with Mrs. Rosalie Donovan on Armistice day.

Mr. and Mrs. J C. Shinn, Jr., attended the auto show in San Francisco one evening last week.

Mrs. P. A. Ellis has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. B. L. Nilson, now living with Mrs. H. R. Hunt at the Hotel Belvoir, entertained her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles N Lake, of Mountain View, at dinner Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clapp, residents of the southern part of the state, have returned to their home there after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hatch.

Everett Mendenhall, San Jose State College student, spent the Armistice day week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mendenhall

Louis Manuel was a spectator at the Washington - California football game at Berkeley Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun have taken up residence in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. O. Swan, at the corner of Second and F streets. The Brauns lived previously on Eye street.

George and Otto Bertel, of Oakland, visited with Niles friends on Armistice day. George was formerly manager of the Safeway store here.

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CAKE CONTEST WILL INTEREST HOUSEWIVES HERE

Second Annual Event To Include a Cooking Demonstration

Every woman in Washington township is eligible to participate in the second annual Country Club cake contest, to be held at the club house on Nov. 22, according to Mrs. Roland Bendel, chairman of the event.

There will be no entry fee in the contest, which is open to all except professional bakers. Any kind of cake may be entered, and each participant may enter as many cakes as she wishes, but may only win one prize.

All who plan to enter their culinary masterpieces are urged to get them into the club house, at Centerville, for registration between 10 o'clock and noon on November 22. Cakes received later will not be judged.

Regulations of the contest, which is the most popular ever to be conceived here, indicate that the cakes will be judged on texture, aroma, appetizing appearance, taste and evenness of baking. Frills, fancy frostings, or size will not enhance the cake's chance of winning.

Judge of the contest will be Martha Lee, who will present the prizes: $10, $7.50, $5.00 and 2.50, to the winners in the afternoon, at the cooking demonstration to be held in conjunction with the contest this year. Winners must attend to receive their awards. The cooking demonstration will show the complete preparation of a full-course Thanksgiving dinner.

The club house will be open at $1:30 p. m., and the prizes awarded at 2:15 p. m. The cakes and demonstration cooked turkey will be placed on sale at 4 p. m.

"CHINA SEAS" HAS WALLACE BEERY, GABLE, HARLOW

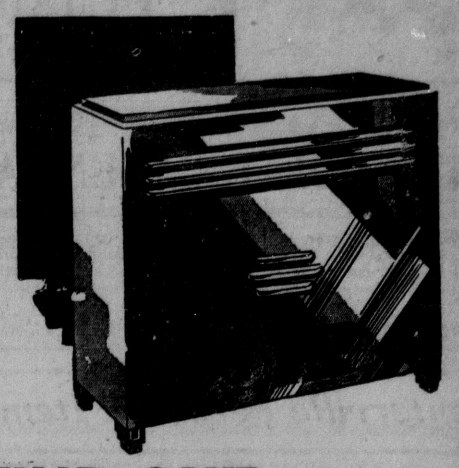
There has never been a greater trio in one movie than is in "China Seas," beginning a three-day run at Hayward tonight. Jean Harlow, Clark Gable and Wallace Beery—three of the greatest—all in the same feature. As if that weren't enough, Ted Lewis and Virginia Bruce are on the same bill in "Here Comes the Band."

Paul Muni, one of the greatest character actors the screen has ever known, comes back to the Hayward screen in the picture that made him doubly famous—"Scarface"—the reason for the G men! "The Case of the Lucky Legs" is on the same program, starring Warren William.

"The Black Room" with Boris Karloff, and "Ladies Crave Excitement," with Norman Foster, are the hits for Wednesday night.

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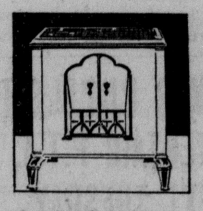
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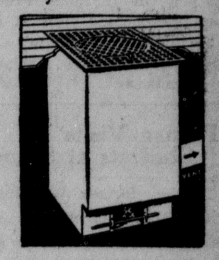
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at

Alvarado, California

as of the close of business on the 1st day of November, 1935

RESOURCES

	Commercial	Savings	Combined
Loans and discounts	$163,906.75	$ 4,012.50	$ 167,919.25
Loans secured by real estate		1,103,058.88	1,103,058.88
Overdrafts	191.38		191.38
United States securities (including premiums, less all adjustment accounts)	75,750.00	332,655.00	408,405.00
All other bonds, warrants and other securities (including premiums, less all adjustment accounts)	68,387.50	438,580.25	506,967.75
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures and safe deposit vaults		99,500.00	99,500.00
Other real estate owned		65,550.00	65,550.00
Cash on hand and due from banks	309,058.02	279,959.09	589,017.11
Checks and other cash items	198.41		198.41
Items in transit between head office and branches—net		3,931.85	3,931.85
Total	$617,492.06	$2,327,247.57	$2,944,739.63

LIABILITIES

Capital paid in:			
Class A preferred stock, 1000 shares, Par $100.		$ 100,000.00	$ 100,000.00
Common stock, 1600 shares, Par $100	$ 50,000.00	110,000.00	160,000.00
Surplus	7,000.00	27,000.00	34,000.00
Undivided profits—net	14,412.57	33,452.42	47,864.99
Individual deposits—demand	539,096.68		539,096.68
Savings deposits		2,056,795.15	2,056,795.15
Certified Checks	162.89		162.89
Other liabilities	6,819.92		6,819.92
Total	$617,492.06	$2,327,247.57	$2,944,739.63

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

Total pledged: NONE.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } ss.
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, }

August May, president, and J. R. Blacow, secretary, of The Bank of Alameda County, being duly sworn, each for himself says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and schedules pertaining thereto and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

AUGUST MAY, President.
J. R. BLACOW, Secretary.

Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents, this 8th day of November, 1935.

CHRISTENA M. ANDERSON,
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California.

SUNOL -- DEPARTMENT --

Miss Molly Buttner and Mrs. Bonner entertained at a luncheon on Thursday, Mrs. A. C. Day and Miss Martha Trimingham, of Sunol, and Mrs. Cushing and Miss Annie Weston, of Irvington.

Mrs. R. Penland, of San Francisco, motored to Bonner on Sunday.

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Miss Aldrich, of Louisiana, and Miss Mary Barmby, Alameda county librarian, visited the Sunol branch library on last Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Trimingham and daughters, of Cowell, were visitors in Sunol on Sunday.

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Mrs. Howard Hansen and family, of Tracy, were visitors in Sunol on Sunday.

AUTHOR VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Rensch and Mrs. Bertha Held Goodwin, of Berkeley, were visitors in Sunol last week. Rensch and Mr. Hoover are the authors of the book "Historical Spots of California." They are now working on a book which will be about the "Historical Spots of the Coast Range."

Mr. and Mrs. W. Laurence, Miss Effie Trimingham and Mrs. C Laurence, of San Mateo, spent the week-end visiting Miss Martha Trimingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Pheiffer spent Tuesday in San Francisco.

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Mrs. J. S. Leal arrived home on Tuesday, after a two weeks' visit with her daughter in San Louis Obispo.

CENTERVILLE REGISTER

CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register is anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

Nov. 14—Knights of Columbus, Parish Hall, 7:30 P. M.
Nov. 19—Official Visit, Native Sons, Anderson Hall, 7 P. M.

Centerville Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson enoyed dinner and a theater at San Jose Sunday night.

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Miss Allagra Hutton, Oakland school teacher, spent the week-end at her home west of Centerville.

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Mrs. Howard Chadbourne is recovering from an illness which kept her confined over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry and two sons, Frank and John, were San Francisco visitors on Armistice day.

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Mrs. Fleda O. Bunting spent several days in San Francisco early this week.

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The Out of Town Club met with Mrs. Charles Gillespie, at Newark, Tuesday afternoon. Prize winners were Mrs. Walter Robie, of Alvarado; Mrs. Ernest Mar-

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Fifteen candidates for the rank of page in the Pythian order, will pass through the rites at an Oakland initiation tonight. F. T Dusterberry, grand prelate, was in attendance.

tin, of Niles, and Mrs. Fred Mitte, of Niles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lewis, Centerville residents, left yesterday for Los Angeles, where they will live for two months.

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Mrs. Rose Peixotto is recovering from a severe illness. She is resting at her home here.

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Joe Jason was ill at his home here early this week. He was unable to attend the Lions Club meeting Tuesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lowman were San Francisco visitors on Armistice day.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson attended demonstrations of scalp treatments at San Francisco Sunday and Monday.

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Loren Marriott and George Roderick, of the Bank of America here, attended a meeting and banquet of the Bank Officers Club at the Hotel Lemington, Oakland, last night.

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A. D. Lewis, Sr., ill for some time here, is slowly recovering.

Paul Pitman Visits Students at School

Paul Pitman, former Washington Union High school teacher, now assistant to the president of the new San Francisco Junior College, paid a visit to the Centerville school recently. He states that administrative work at the new institution has prevented him from taking up classroom work, but that he hopes to do so next year. Pitman was on his way to San Jose, where he addressed the student body of the San Jose High school.

Son Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norris

Word was received in Centerville last week-end of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norris, at Brentwood, The child, born Tuesday of last week, has been named Michael Walter. Norris is a brother of Judge Allen G. Norris, of this city.

SEE U. C. VICTORY

Among Centerville people who attended the California-Washington football game at Berkeley Saturday were: F. T. Dusterberry, and sons, Frank and John; Mr. and Mrs. Loren Marriott, Judge and Mrs. Allen G. Norris, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Enos, Miss Marie White, Morris O'Brien, Maxwell Stevenson, Miss Grace Knoles and A. J. Rathbone.

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GRAMMAR PUPILS TO ENTERTAIN P.T.A. NEXT TUESDAY

Members of the Centerville Parent-Teachers' Association will be entertained at their regular meeting at the school on November 19, by students of the eighth grade, who will stage a Thanksgiving program.

Following the welcome by June Weaver, the entertainment will get under way with a skit, "Brown's Thanksgiving,' in which Richard Marriott and Harry Ushijima are the players. Vermilda Le Duce will read a poem, "The Deacon's Thanksgiving," after which the main attraction, a play entitled, "The Origin of Thanksgiving," will begin. Members of the cast will be: Margaret Williamson, Dorothy Silva, Mary Sakaue, John Soito, 'Gene Bettencourt, Vermilda De Luce, Arthur Gomes, Philip Brazil, Toshio Shiozaki, Billy Mille[illegible] and Keichi Isoda.

The program will be concluded with the reading of another poem, "The Happy Cobbler," Bernadette Mattos, and selected songs by the eighth grade.

Other news notes from the Centerville school tell of an Armistice day program, staged by the sixth grade pupils Friday, and of the junior traffic patrol's participation in Armistice day exercises at Hayward and at the Washington Union High school on Monday.

RECOVERING

Mrs. Harry Rose, of Irvington, was returned to her home there Friday after treatment at a San Jose hospital. She is rapidly regaining her health, friends said.

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REGLI'S HUSKERS WIN 3D STRAIGHT LEAGUE PENNANT

Swamp Pleasanton 40 to 0 In Final Game of Season Friday

A silver trophy, grimly retained by fighting Husker football teams for three consecutive years, will henceforth remain in the trophy case of the Washington Union High school.

Supreme in S. A. C. A. L. football circles for the past three years, the Centerville school earned the permanent ownership of the trophy last Friday when Jess Regli's wonder team smashed the Amador high eleven into a dismal 40 to 0 defeat. Regli's charges lost only one game this season. That was to Pittsburg, before the Huskers had found their form.

Starting in the first quarter Friday, the Huskers immediately went to town when Juarez, end, seized the ball in the end zone after Mederios had crashed through to block an Amador punt. The conversion failed. A pass, Muniz to Mune, which spanned thirty yards accounted for the second score. Mederios' kick for the extra point went wide. The third touchdown came in the second quarter when Silva blocked a kick and Mederios romped twenty yards to the last stripe. The extra point was good. Later in the same quarter Muniz skirted the end on a fake double reverse and raced thirty yards to the last touchdown for the half.

Score: Washington, 26; Amador, 0.

Not to be denied in their march, the Huskers added another seven points in the third quarter, when Fisher twisted through the entire Pleasanton team, to score after receiving a punt. Mederios converted. Scoring for the day ended in the fourth quarter when Muniz picked up seven yards around end to the goal line. Mederios added the extra point.

Although smothered under a heavy score, the Amador lads were by no means disgraced. They made one beautiful goal line stand, repulsing the Huskers on the six-inch line until they took the ball on downs. In an offensve way, the Pleasanton team never once passed the Huskers thirty-yard line.

Starting lineup for the Centervilel team was: Ends, Juarez and Silva; tackles, Sinclair and Fields; guards, Straub and Cesari; center, Jorgensen; halfbacks, Muniz and Mune; quarter, Fisher, and fullback, Mederios.

Of the above, only Juarez and Straub will be back next year, all of the others to leave via the graduation route.

DAUGHTERS' PARLOR WILL NOMINATE OFFICERS

Nomination of officers for the Betsy Ross parlor, Native Daughters, will be the main business to be transacted tomorrow night when the group meets at Anderson hall.

Present officers are: Irma Kelly, past president; Marie White, president; Roumilda Rose, Marie Bettencourt and Evelyn Garcia, vice president; financial secretary, Rose Peixotto; treasurer, Lucy Day; recording secretary, Matilda Enos; marshal, Alfreda Clark; outside sentinel, Constance Amaral; inside sentinel, Alice Semas, and trustees, Margaret White and Anna V. Rose.

During the evening there will be a practice for the official visit of Grand President Anne Thuesen, scheduled for December 6.

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Class "C" Basketball Under Way at W.U.H.S.

Class "C" basketball, coached this year by Alvin Morse, got under way at the Washington Union High school this week. Regular practice sessions have been started in preparation for the first game of the season next Tuesday, when the San Jose Technical High school class "C" team will invade the local court.

The league schedule will begin on November 22, against Pleasanton, on the Centerville boards. Games in December will be: December 3, San Jose Tech, at San Jose; December 6, Emeryville, at Centerville; December 12, Albany, at Albany; December 17, Livermore, at Livermore.

S.P.R.S.I. Council Will Prepare for Reception

Following their annual card party, to take place at the Parish hall on November 22, the members of the Centerville council, S. P. R. S. I. will concentrate on preparations for the offisial visit of their grand president, to take place early in December. Mrs. M. F. George, district deputy, states that a class of candidates will be initiated into the order at that tme.

WORK TO STRENGTHEN SCHOOL TO BEGIN IN DECEMBER

Work at the Washington Union High school, to make the buildings earthquake-proof, will get under way by December 18, according to work from Principal A. J. Rathbone. Plans and specifications have been approved by the WPA, and an advisory board appointed by that body to confer with the constractor whose bid is accepted. Bids on the reconstruction work will be opened early next week.

Students will remain in their main-building classrooms until the end of the present term, but will report back after the holiday vacation to classes in the gymnasium, shop and odd rooms in other buildings.

The outward appearance of the school and the floor plan will not be altered, Rathbone said, in the installation of forty tons of strengthening steel. Walls and foundation will be bolstered.

Bulk of the reconstruction work will be in the main building, particularly in that section which is two-storied. Later in the year, minor repairs will be made in the gymnasium and the shop buildings.

MYSTERY THRILLER ON HIGH SCHOOL STAGE FRIDAY

"The Scarecrow Creeps," a mystry thriller, will be staged by the student body of the Washington Union High school tomorrow night at the school auditorium.

Coached by Miss Margaret Fisher, the production has been in rehearsal for several weeks. It features moments of high excitement, suspense and thrills. Ingenious stage properties, designed at the school, will be used.

Members of the cast are Beatrice Matzke, James Silva, Donald Ahrens, Clifford Rogers, Clarie Musick, Margaret Wells, Kate Rathbone, George Mathiesen Marylin Maciel and Charles Myrick.

RETURNS HOME

Joseph Luiz, Decoto man, was returned home in the Botelho ambulance from an Oakland hospital. He had been ill at the hospital for a period of five months.

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Thomas P. Maloney, grand knight of the Centerville council, Knights of Columbus, urges all members of the council to make a special effort to be on hand tonight, to hear an address by Robert A. MacKenzie, special agent, on matters of vital concern to the organization.

The meeting will begin at 8 p. m. at the Parish hall. There will be refreshments.

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CENTERVILLE NEWS

NATIVE SONS WILL RECEIVE GRAND OFFICER

Preparations have been made by Native Sons of the Washington parlor, Centerville, for the official vsit of Grand Trustee Adrian H. Hines, who will call on the local parlor next Tuesday evening. A number of Native Sons, from several Oakland parlors, will accompany him.

Plans for the anniversary meeting on December 5, when the Washington parlor will celebrate its forty-fifth birthday, are under way, according to Allen G. Norris, president. Initiation of a class of neophytes is slated, with a banquet to follow. Grand President Harmon D. Skillin, of San Francisco, has been invited.

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CENTERVILLE NEWS

CENTERVILLE BOY AT STOCK SHOW IN SOUTH

Anthony Silva, Washington Chapter Future Farmer, will represent the south coast region today at the Future Farmer Stock Show, being held at Los Angeles. Silva won first place in the public speaking contest of the young farmers' group, held in the Centerville high school auditorium on October 25.

At the same meeting at which he won the right to represent the district at the Los Angeles show, Silva was elected president of the south coast region. Schools represented at the gathering were Campbell, Morgan Hill, Watsonville, Santa Cruz, Salinas, Gonzales, Hayward and Hollister.

Accompanying Silva on the trip are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Silva; his instructor, Paul Daugherty, and Kaoru Inouye. Other members of the local chapter who were planning to make the trip are Robert Whipple, Richard Inouye, Martin Duarte and Louis Silva.

In the event he wins the speaking contest in the south, in which there will be participants from six regions, Silva will next compete in the state contest.

Veit Tells Clubmen of St. Louis Convention

The regular monthly meeting of the St. James Men's Club was held last Thursday night with Loren Marriott as host. Speaker of the evening was Frank X. Veit, legion post adjutant, who told of the convention recently held at St. Louis.

Arwin Ormsby will be host at the December meeting. The "pedro" club, made up of St. James members gathered for one of their frequent card sessions Tuesday night.

Centerville Child Is Baptised Here Sunday

Little Rodney Santos, son of Mr. and Mrs. Camille Santos, was baptised last Sunday at the Holy Ghost church in Centerville. Miss Helen Foster, of San Francisco, and Joseph Rose, of Centerville, were the god-parents.

After the ceremonies a dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster, in Newark.

COMMUNION

Holy communion will be celebrated at the regular 11 o'clock service at the Irvington Community church, Sunday morning, according to the Rev. E. E. Moore, pastor.

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Among speakers at the affair, which was held in the I. D. E. S. hall, at Mission San Jose, were Ernest W. Schween, of Pleasanton, and Mrs. M. F. George, of Centerville. The latter, district S. P. R. S. I. deputy, thanked the girls for the effort they have expended in behalf of the organization.

An entertainment following the addresses featured songs by several artists, and a skit by the Misses Hazel Mendoza and Eva Rogers. Miss Eleanor Costa was piano accompanist.

Organized eight years ago, the Mission San Jose S. P. R. S. I. drill team, captained by Miss Hazel Mendoza, has risen to a high place among similar organizations in the San Francisco bay district.

Ths fact was evidenced last Saturday night when the Mission unit was presented with a trophy for third place in the huge Columbus day parade in San Francisco.

The award, presented by William J. Zappetni and A. J. Stark, of San Francisco, was received by Miss Mendoza, who has so ably captained the group for six years. She gave a brief address of thanks to her charges for their

MORE ON TWO SENTENCED

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attorney's office prosecuted him on the lesser charge of rockless driving.

Canha was found guilty of reckless driving, after his car had struck and bruised J. D. Richardson, count highway employee, recently. Richardson, at work with a road repair crew, was struck when Canha swerved in behind the stationary highway truck, after being warned to proceed cautionsly by the crew foreman. Officer Duffy Lewis, who made the arrest, testified that Canha was not under the influence of liquor. Canha pleaded not guilty, and was represented by Assistant Public Defender Raymond Ferreria.

Scott was acquitted when testimony revealed that he was attempting to avoid collision with a car emerging from the Alvarado creek road intersection at Alvarado. His car struck the porch of the Alvarado Hotel, toppling one of the supporting timbers.

Another motorist to receive a jail sentence was Lon J. Rose, of San Jose, who faced the court on a speeding charge. He was sent to the county jail for two days, being unable to pay a $10 fine. The arrest was made by Traffic Officer George Barron near Decoto on October 30.

RECOVERING

Joseph Souza, Niles man, injured with his wife in a recent automobile accident near Warm Springs, was able to be up and around Monday. Mrs. Souza, more seriously injured, is still in a critical condition. She was treated for a time at a San Jose hospital.

WESLEY GORDON IS FORUM LEADER AT PEACE GATHERING

Wesley Dexter Gordon, of Niles, was chairman of a forum at San Jose State College Friday, at which the subect of peace was the topic. Gordon opened the forum, which was attended by throngs of students and faculty members, with a description of world conditions. He deplored any war in which disinterested and innocent citizens would be coerced to participate in the hostilities. He said, in part, "War is a senseless slaughter, marked by gory bloodshed, with men riddled in ensnaring barbed wire, nothing but cannon fodder."

The student gathering was arranged by Ralph Eckert, debate coach, and was followed by another meeting Tuesday, when President T. W. McQuarrQie and other faculty members spoke. The purpose of the meeting was to support a movement to perpetuate peace in the face of present war crises.

FARMERS URGED TO RAISE FLAX IN CALIFORNIA

Cultivation of flax, as a commercial crop in California, is being fostered by the El Dorado Oil Works, of San Francisco.

For more than twenty years the United States has imported half its requirements, only recently raising flax near its own consumption point. The oil company is making an offer to satisfactory growers, in which the seed will be advanced and the crop bought.

It is pointed out that California crops, either dry-farmed or irrigated, produce from fifteen to thirty bushels an acre.

See El Dorado Oil Works' advertisement in another column of Township Register for further details.

Oakland Driver to Be Tried Here Tomorrow

Fred C. Housh, of Oakland, will be tried before Judge Norris at Centerville, tomorrow, on a charge of driving on the wrong sie of the road. Housh's car crashed into that of Thomas Scales, Irvington school principal, on the Alvarado-Centerville road late last month. No one was injured.

PRIZES AWARDED TO SPORTSMEN FOR BASS CATCH

Other prize winners in the Washington Township Striped Bass Club derby, held recently at Pittsburg, were named last Wednesday night by club officials. William Estudillo and Manuel Alameda, both of Centerville, had been announced as winners of the first and second prizes last week.

Other triumphant anglers who landed fish large enough to place in the money were: John Mello, third; Manuel Vierra, fourth; George Mathiesen, fifth; J. M. Bettencourt, sixth; Joseph Bettencourt, seventh, and John Santos, eighth.

Thirty-six members of the local anglers club competed in the derby.

Irvington Register

By Miss EVELYN BETTENCOURT

VISITS PARENTS

Gordon Pond, who is employed at the United Air Lines in Cheyenne, Wyoming, visited here with his parents last week. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Haines spent the week-end in Dinuba with friends.

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Tony Avelino, employed at the Castlewood Club, spent Sunday here with friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wehren, J. S. Bettencourt and Jim McHugh enjoyed last Monday at Pigeon Point and returned home with a limit of clams.

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Mr. and Mrs. Al Piexotto and son, Marvin, motored to Hanford Sunday.

THEATER PARTY

Miss Ira Dutra, Melva Scammon and Evelyn Bettencourt, of Irvington; Mrs. Emma Kallas, Mrs. Lile Langland and Clyde Langland, of Niles; and Miss Theresa Ruldiger, of Oakland, attended the amateur hour at an Oakland theater last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mederios and family spent the week-end in Oakdale, visiting with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson and daughter, Dorothy Mae, of San Francisco, visited here with friends last Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Enos and family, Joe T. Bettencourt and Mrs. J. S. Bettencourt visited Oakdale friends Sunday.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY FOR S. SABENO AT ALVARADO

Funeral services were held at Alvarado yesterday for Sepedo Sabeno, 20, Alvarado man, killed Sunday night on the Hayward road when he was struck by a car driven by Ralph Haskett, of Oakland.

Sabeno had stopped his truck and dismounted in the path of Haskett's machine. The latter was not held. The deceased is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Leiva and three brothers and sisters. Following the services at St. Anne's church, interment took place in the Holy Ghost cemetery, Centerville.

James J. Heath, Writer, Visiting at San Diego

James H. Heath, Masonic home correspondent for the Township Register, now sojourning in San Diego, writes that he is recovering from a short illness, suffered while there. Heath, who was formerly prominently connected at Escondido, visited there and other places in the south. He is staying at the San Diego Press Club.

FARM CENTER TO URGE HELP FOR TOMATO GROWERS

Anthony Silva, Centerville boy, who is representing the Future Farmers region at Los Angeles this week, was main speaker at a meeting of the Washington-Eden Farm Center, held at the Centerville high school Tuesday night. Silva spoke on the tomato growing situation, as it effects the growers.

A resolution was adopted at the meeting to urge all growers not to sign open contracts or contracts at the 1935 price next year. The resolution further urged, among other items, use of the prorate act to protect growers of canning tomatoes. The petition, signed by Herbert Young, chairman, and Paul Daugherty, will be presented to the vegetable department of the California Farm Bureau Federation, when that body meets at Santa Cruz Monday. R. W. Kennedy will present the article.

Chester Fry, assistant farm advisor, spoke on the national poultry plan.

Farm bureau members voted to start a membership drive, beginning Monday, November 25.

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The sun's chemical constitution, notes a writer in the Indianapolis News, is doubtless identical with that of the earth, but so hot that it remains gaseous, in spite of the enormous pressure exerted by the mutual attraction of its particles.

The moon, which is the earth's only satellite, revolves round the earth from west to east in a period of about 27.3 days. Its period from full moon to full moon, or the ordinary month, is about 29.5 days. The moon rotates on its axis in the same direction that it revolves round the earth, and with the same regular velocity. The result is that it always keeps the same face toward the earth. The moon shines entirely by reflected light, and its phases depend upon its position relative to the earth and sun.

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Cupid, Marksman

By JANNIS PARKER

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LINDA was in the tub thinking of Jerry when the phone rang. She'd been thinking of him ever since they'd met a week before at the last club dance of the season. And a bang-up dance it had been. The orchestra, imported from Harlem, had out-cavorted the dancers, their instruments taking a terrible beating. During what was supposed to have been intermissions an Italian with a piano-accordion that prohibited conversation, and a voice that dimmed the piano-accordion, had sauntered from table to table singing old love songs of Italy and new ones from Broadway.

Steve, good old Steve with the indelible frown, the rhythmic feet and the fog-horn voice, had asked Linda to the dance. He had also presented Jerry.

"Want to meet the nicest little job the stork ever turned out?" he'd boomed.

Jerry had. And Steve hadn't exaggerated. In short, Linda was O. K., ace-high, top-notch, first-rate. And certainly men like Jerry would always have a market.

Linda, however, whose existence enabled the telephone company to pay steady dividends, had not heard from him since that night.

Now, alone in the apartment, she had to leave the suds hurriedly, swathe herself in a towel and make wet tracks for the shrill phone.

A man's voice boomed hoarsely over the wires and Linda's high hopes fell to the ground. For seven days she'd snatched up the phone—it might be the call she'd prayed for. It never had been.

"Linda?" he was repeating.

"You sound like King Kong," Linda replied, doing her best to sound light-hearted and carefree. Why, oh why, couldn't this have been Jerry?

"Just a slight cold," he explained. "I'll soon be back to the silvery cadences. I'd have called you sooner but until today I couldn't speak at all. 'Feed a cold,' however, you know. So how about having dinner with me?"

"That would be awfully nice." Try as she would Linda couldn't sound enthusiastic.

"Any chance for tonight?"

"Tomorrow night," she said.

"Would it be too much to ask you to meet me in town?" his voice rasped.

Linda lived tucked off in the suburbs far from jay-walkers and taxi races.

"Where and when?" she asked.

"Martini's. At Seven. O. K.?"

"O. K."

Linda's mother came in as she hung up the phone.

"For me?" she asked.

"No. For me. Steve. I'm having dinner with him in town tomorrow night."

Linda's mother repeated what she'd been saying for some time. "You could do worse."

"Much worse," Linda admitted. "I could have two meals with him every day and three on Sunday. No thank you, Steven's a lamb, but . . ."

"You don't appreciate him," her mother broke in. "He's a splendid young man."

"For somebody else."

The next evening Linda dressed lackadaisically. She didn't wear the new outfit. She was saving it just in case the Jerry man had a sudden fit of memory.

The train ride into the city was a monotonous trip that was only taking her to a monotonous evening. The cross-town cab was an unrestful auto that was taking her to a restless evening. Linda bleakly visualized the past seven days. Each day had grown drearier, heavier. Each day had taken her that much farther from Jerry. The possibility of more such days was ghastly—days when the sound of the phone buoyed her up only to cast her down.

"For two cents I'd scream," she mused. "I'd do it even cheaper."

At Martini's she paid off the taxi driver and walked in under the long striped awning. The sort of awning used at weddings, she reflected morosely. Why had she accepted this dinner invitation of Steve's? Why had she forgotten the comforts of home where she could cry into a pillow in peace instead of having to swallow hard lest tears splash into the hors d'oeuvres? She was berating herself when she walked right into his arms.

She blinked rapidly, shook her head to clear it, but the apparition was not an apparition. There he was, all six feet three of him. There flashed the smile that made her smile back. There stood the man she'd never really left since the moment she'd met him.

Radiant at seeing her again, he spoke, still hoarsely.

"How you recognized this battered voice over the phone is more that I'll ever know," he grinned. "Television would be wasted on you, Linda."

He indicated a charmingly secluded little table marked, "Reserved."

"What do you say?" he asked.

Linda spoke cautiously, as though holding her breath. Her hand fluttered tremblingly at her throat.

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Tony

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TONY BECCHIO came home in June, home to a dim flat in a Grimm street tenement where the smells of cooking, stained walls and people were more pungent than its neighbors.

Tony, like every other boy, had much of good and much of bad in him. At eighteen, he was caught in a robbery and sent to the reform school. Three years later he came out to find his family moved from the river-side shanty to the big, Ninth ward tenement on Grimm street.

For a time after the return, he was an outcast. Everyone was kind to him. Even Officer Casey who had instructions to watch him, talked cheerful enough whenever they met.

He was an outcast by reason of his own thoughts, and although the tenement was a far cry from the other place, he felt a depressing influence from its stains, its smells, its throng of inhabitants.

"He'll come out of it," said Pete, his father, one night when the mother was worried and Tony was up alone on the roof, brooding. "Give him time."

"All right for you to say, Pete," she replied, "but he think-a things. Not-a nice things, Pete."

Tony was sitting against a chimney on the roof, his mouth pulled down bitterly and he dwelled on the inequalities of life, for he had learned something at the reform school besides a trade.

They taught him shoemaking, and there was no job among the shoemakers. Even if there had been, they would find his record. He was a bitter, disillusioned outcast who could do nothing useful and at that moment the vague class of humanity known as "Rich people" were dining in hotels, each spending more money in one night than he needed for a month.

His breath caught in a sob. It wasn't sorrow or self-pity. It was anger; anger at his situation, at his failure to get a job, but more than all else, he was angry at the weakness which seemed keeping him from taking what was his right.

He rose suddenly, decisively; climbed over the roof parapet onto the fire escape and descended to the alley. It was dark down there.

One of the boys at the prison school—a thick-headed, lewd young thief—told him how he had robbed a man by holding his hand in his coat. The man thought he had a gun and trembled so his teeth, which were false, rattled. It was funny. And he had over forty dollars on him.

Forty dollars! The big fellow had got forty dollars with nothing more than a harmless threat. Forty dollars! And some men had as many hundreds, even thousands.

The young man was fanning the flame of determination. His hand pressed tightly in his coat pocket. He walked aimlessly until he found himself in the warehouse district, then purpose took form and he saw his victim.

The man turned slowly, then came toward him, the metal point of his cane tapping more briskly as he neared. Tony's lip quivered. He waited for him to pass then stepped softly after. He was trembling all over.

Suddenly the man whirled. Tony gasped. He tried to snarl, "Put up your hands!" but no sound would come. The man's eyes seemed fastened on him like gimlets.

"Who is there?" he asked sharply.

Again Tony tried his throat and failed. In that instant the man turned his face to the blank building wall.

"Who is there?" he repeated, and the young man saw in the attitude the tense listening of a blind man.

His breath caught in a gasp of terror.

"Gotta match, mister?" he asked hoarsely.

The man faced him again. Then he laughed softly, musically.

"Certainly. And could you tell me where I am? I've been walking farther than I thought and my sight is—bad."

The hesitation before the last word was so habitual, Tony knew it only represented an old pain.

The boy's eyes protruded as he stared at those sightless ones. His hand mechanically reached for the offered match and was caught in a hard grip.

He writhed quickly, futilely. The man's free hand traveled searchingly over his face, feeling the lines of bitterness, the pinched cheeks and the tense jaw. Then came that soft laugh and he released him.

Tony felt a nauseating weakness. How could the man laugh like that in the dark?

"Boy," he said kindly, and the would-be assailant knew that sightless as he was, nothing had been hidden from him, "you must yet learn to suffer. Lead me to a restaurant and we'll have dinner together."

Again he laughed softly as if secretly amused, and Tony, feeling a lightness of mind, unknown since his arrest three years ago, leaned weakly on the blind man's proffered arm.

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CHAPTER I.—The future of the still youthful and comely "Widder" Marcia Howe, recently released by death from her idling, selfish husband, is a conversational tit-bit among the housewives of the little hamlet of Wilton. Eligible bachelors and widowers also are interested.

CHAPTER II.—Marcia, despite her unfortunate matrimonial experience, finds pleasure in her daily life, but is lonely at times, and has invited her late husband's niece, Sylvia Hayden, whom she has never seen, to visit her. The girl arrives and Marcia takes to her at once, while Sylvia, expecting to see a somewhat elderly aunt, finds Marcia more like a sister.

CHAPTER III.—Into the uneventful, happy lives of the two women comes "Adventure." A stranger, on the verge of exhaustion, finds his way to Marcia's home. Cared for, he explains that his power-boat ran aground in the fog. His wrist is injured. Secretly, he asks Marcia to hide a package containing jewelry. She does so. The doctor comes, with Elisha Winslow, town sheriff, bringing the news of a jewel robbery on a neighboring Long Island estate. The stranger, hospitably put to bed, gives his name as Stanley Heath.

CHAPTER IV.—Marcia says nothing to Sylvia about the jewels Heath had asked her to hide. Though uneasy, she is unwilling, for some reason, to believe him to be a thief. Sylvia, by chance, discovers the jewels. A handkerchief with the initials "S. C. H." convinces her that Heath is author of the robbery Sheriff Winslow had reported, and she realizes that Marcia herself must have hidden them. Deciding to say nothing, she puts the jewels back in their hiding place.

"I'll just run in and put the screen round the fire and get my mending," Marcia replied a trifle uneasily. "I'll be right back."

Left to himself, Eleazer smiled a smile of satisfaction.

The kitchen was warm, Marcia was alone and apparently not busy. Could circumstances be more propitious? Fortune certainly was with him. Today, this very afternoon, he would take his future in his hands and put to her the question he had so often determined to put.

When Marcia came back he was



When Marcia Came Back He Was Primed and Ready to Begin His Declaration.

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"Weather's been fine, ain't it?" he started out.

Marcia took up her sewing.

"Do you think so?" questioned she, raising her brows. "Seems to me we've had lots of rain and fog."

"Wal, yes, now you mention it I do recall a few thick days. Still, spring is comin'."

"I'll like to shingle the south ell this spring," announced Marcia, giving a disconcertingly practical twist to the conversation. "How many shingles do you suppose it would take?"

Eleazer frowned. The dialogue was not proceeding along the lines he had mapped out.

"I'd have to reckon that out. It's a good notion, though, to make the ell tight. That's what the birds are doin'. They're gettin' their nests built an' kinder pickin' out their mates."

"I did not realize you were so much interested in birds, Eleazer," Marcia exclaimed. "I have a fine bird book I must lend you. It's in the other room. I'll fetch it."

Springing up, she disappeared.

"Drat it!" murmured Eleazer. "Could anything be more exasperatin'? An' me neither knowin' nor carin' a hang whether a bird's a robin or a sparrow." He wandered to the window. "Oh, heavens, who's this comin'? If it ain't 'Lish Winslow! Now what in thunder does he want, buttin' in?"

Eleazer threw open the door.

Before he could speak, however, Elisha puffed and out of breath bawled:

"Where in the name of goodness did you put the engine-house key, Eleazer? Whipple's hen house is afire, an' we've hunted high and low for it."

"My soul an' body," Eleazer gasped. "I clean forgot to leave it. Must be in my pocket."

Wildly he began to search.

"You're a fine head of the fire department, you are!" roared Elisha. "If you'd put your mind on town business 'stead of on Marcia Howe, we'd all be better off. Traipsing over here to see her in the middle of the day, palmin' off that telegram as an excuse. You better go straight back to the village fast as you can leg it an' carry the key with you," went on the accuser. "Don't wait for nothin'. I'll explain to Marcia."

"But I've got to see her. I've got to speak to her private," protested the wretched official. "I want to give her somethin'."

"Give it to me. I'll hand it to her."

Elisha's extended palm was not to be ignored.

"This—this—telegram," quavered Eleazer. "I ain't had a chance to—"

"Do you mean to say you ain't given her that telegram yet?"

"I was intendin' to. I was just about to when—"

"Wal, of all the—" words failed Elisha. "Here, give it to me," he commanded. "I can be depended on to deliver messages if you can't. I'll see she has it. In the meantime, the best thing you can do is to hoof it to town quick's ever you can."

"Ain't you comin'?"

"I? No. Fire's ain't in my line. Long's Marcia's here by herself an' ain't busy, I'm goin' to pay her a call," Elisha grinned. "I've got to deliver the telegram."

"You might be needed at the fire."

"I shan't be," was the calm reply. "Not unless there's somethin' criminal about it."

"It might be arson."

"I'll take a chance on it startin' from Dan Whipple's cigarette. In fact he owned as much. Now, hop along, Eleazer, else the whole conflagration will be out 'fore you get there."

The unlucky fire chief had no choice.

"Drat it!" raged he, as he strode off across the sand. "Drat it! Ain't that just my luck!"

Either the book for which Marcia searched was not to be found or she was in no haste to return to her awaiting suitor.

Whatever the explanation, her absence lengthened from a few moments into a quarter of an hour.

In the meantime Elisha, like his predecessor, was formulating his mode of attack. Before another snatched the prize from him; before Heath with his yacht and his monogrammed silken garments recovered his strength, he would put his fate to the test.

He strolled up to the stove and, standing on the hearth with his back to the fire, rocked back and forth on his heels reflectively.

As he did so, a brick beneath his feet rocked with him.

Elisha looked down.

He saw it was quite loose.

"That thing's goin' to trip up somebody some fine day," commented he. "It oughter be cemented."

Producing his knife, Elisha pried the brick from its place.

As he lifted it out, a handkerchief came with it disgorging at his feet a flat, blue leather case.

If the sheriff's eyes bulged when he caught sight of it, they all but popped from his head when, egged on by curiosity, he pressed the catch on the box.

Quick as a flash the whole situation clarified in his mind.

These were the widely heralded Long Island jewels; and the thief who had stolen them was here beneath this roof!

Of course Marcia did not know. Even though a friendship existed between herself and Heath, she was unquestionably ignorant of the nefarious means by which he earned his living.

Far from cherishing anger or resentment toward the person who posed his villainy and prevented her from sacrificing herself to such an unprincipled adventurer, would she not regard her rescuer with deepest gratitude? Elisha's head whirled.

Nevertheless, confused though he was, it was clear to him he must not make a mis-step and neglect to perform his official duty with dignity.

Heath was ill. There would be no danger of his leaving the Homestead at present, especially as he had no suspicion the jewels had been discovered.

The best plan was for him to return to the mainland; get his badge and handcuffs; find out what formalities such a momentous event as an arrest demanded; and return later and round up the criminal.

He did not dally. Carefully putting the gems back where he had found them, he placed the telegram upon the table and went out, softly closing the door behind him.

It flashed into his mind that as the tide was coming in it might be well to borrow Marcia's boat and row back to shore.

This would serve two purposes. He would reach home sooner; and Heath, cut off by the sweep of the channel, would in the meantime be unable to escape.

Never had Elisha rowed as he rowed that day! The dory fairly leaped through the water. Reaching shore, he sprang from it and dragged it up on the sand. Then, trembling with excitement, he set out for home.

He was almost at his gate when to his consternation he saw Eleazer puffing after him.

"You 'pear to be kinder stirred up, 'Lish," Eleazer commented. "What's the matter?"

Elisha determined upon a sudden and bold move.

"Say, Eleazer," began he cautiously, "Did you ever see a man arrested?"

"Wal, I dunno as I ever did—not really. I've seen it done, though, in the movies."

"That oughter be up-to-date an' proper. Just how was the proceedin' put through?"

Thoughtfully Eleazer regarded the toes of his boots.

"Wal, near's I can recollect, the policeman went up to the criminal an' grabbin' him by the arm says: 'You villain! I've got you now. Scram!'"

"I s'pose the policeman wore a badge an' carried handcuffs."

"Oh, law, yes. But what's the game? What do you want to know for?"

Furtively Elisha glanced up and down the empty road and after peering over his shoulder, he dropped his voice to a confidential whisper and hissed:

"'Cause I'm goin' to make an arrest—a big arrest! I've tracked down the thief that committed the Long Island burglary. Moreover, I know this very second where the jewels are. I'm goin' to phone the New York police I've got their man," he concluded.

Eleazer's cunning mind worked quickly.

"I don't know, Lish, as I'd do that," he cautioned. "In the first place, you might be mistook in your calculations an' not only get yourself into hot water but make the town a laughin' stock. Furthermore, was you wrong, you might get sued for defamin' the accused's character."

"I ain't wrong. I'm right."

"Wal, even so, I'd move careful," urged his companion. "Most likely there's a reward out for this criminal. Why split it with a host of others? Why don't you an' me divide it? I'll help you land your man, since you're a bit—" Eleazer, fearing to offend, hesitated. "—a but out of practice 'bout arrestin'."

The advice was good. Elisha, shrewd in his dealings, instantly saw the advantage of the plan proposed.

"Wal, mebbe 'twould be better if I didn't let too many ignorant city chaps in on a big thing like this," he conceded pompously. "You an' me know what we're about. I figger we could handle it."

"Sure we could. We can put it through in first-class shape. First you must change your clothes for your Sunday ones. A black frock coat's what you really oughter wear. Then you must pin your sheriff's badge on your chest where it'll show good an' plain. Be sure to bring along your handcuffs, 'cause you're certain to need 'em with an experienced criminal such as this. He'll have a gun an' put up a fight."

Elisha paled and a tremor twitched his lips.

"That needn't concern you none, though. All you'll have to do will be to steal up behind him, put your pistol 'twixt his shoulder-blades an' shout: 'Stick 'em up!'"

"I ain't got no pistol. I ain't fond of fire-arms. In fact, I don't know's I ever shot off a revolver in my life."

"Wal, I have. I've shot dozens of skunks."

"You might lend me yours."

"I s'pose I might. It ain't, though, workin' very well right now. It's kinder rusty. Furthermore, I'm out of ammunition."

"That won't matter. I ain't calculatin' to fire it."

"But you'll have to."

Elisha's mounting disapproval changed to consternation.

Turning, he faced Eleazer.

"Say, Eleazer," he faltered, "s'pose we was to make a deal on this thing. S'pose for the time bein' I was to take over your job an' you was to take over mine. S'pose you did the arrestin'? You seem to know a sight more 'bout how to manage it than I do.

"You put on the badge; you tell the thief to stick 'em up; you put the pistol 'twixt his shoulders, or wherever you think 'twill do the most good; an' you snap the handcuffs on him. I'll see you get full credit for it. Meanwhile, if there's a fire or an undertakin' job, I'll manage 'em somehow."

Eleazer shook his head.

"That wouldn't do, 'Lish, no way in the world," he objected. "We can't go swappin' offices voted us by the town. Folks wouldn't like it. Was I, a common citizen, to shoot the criminal, I'd likely be hauled up for murder. I'm willin' to stand by you to the extent of goin' along an' keepin' you company; but you must be the one that bears the brunt of the job. You ain't told me yet none of the details of this business. If I'm goin' to help you, I'd oughter be told everything about it. Who is the criminal? An' where is he? An' how'd you come to get track of him?"

Alas, the questions were the very ones Elisha had hoped to escape answering. Nevertheless, he knew of no way to evade his confederate's curiosity.

Reluctantly, cautiously, he poured out his story and was rewarded to see the other town official gape at him, open-mouthed.

"Bless my soul," he reiterated. "Bless my soul! Who would 'a' drempt it?" he burst out when he could contain himself no longer. "Wal, I never did like that feller Heath. I suspected from the first there was something wrong about him. Prob'ly he has queer eyes. You can always spot a criminal by his eyes. Kinder shifty an' fishy. I understand human nature. This Heath feller, now. I understand him."

"Then p'raps you can foretell what he's likely to do when I arrest him," put in Elisha eagerly.

"It's better I shouldn't tell you. 'Twouldn't be wise. We must do our duty no matter what comes of it."

Elisha's knees weakened beneath him.

"Seems to me," went on Eleazer, "that 'stead of loiterin' here discussin' the calamities of the future you'd better be gettin' on to your house. You've got to put on other clothes. The press, most likely, will want to photograph you. Then you must hunt up your badge, your handcuffs an' all your paraphernalia. I'd better cut across the field, meantime, an' oil up my pistol. Mebbe I can fix it so-st it'll go off. I'll try an' find you some cartridges, too. I wouldn't want to stand by an' see you struck down without your havin' some slight defense, poor as 'tis."

With this dubious farewell, Eleazer bustled off across the dingle and was lost to sight.

Left alone, Elisha gloomily pursued his way to his own cottage and entering it by the side door passed through the back hall and upstairs.

Going to the closet, he took out his Sunday suit, shook it, and with the air of one making ready his shroud, spread it upon the bed.

Next he produced a boiled shirt, a collar, and a black tie.

It took him some time to assemble these infrequently used accessories.

He went downstairs to hunt up his badge and handcuffs. These he kept in the drawer of the tall secretary in the sitting room. To his consternation, the drawer was empty!

And not only was it empty but it had been left open as if a marauder possessed of sticky hands had hastily abandoned it.

Unwilling to believe the articles were gone, Elisha peered feverishly into every corner the piece of furniture contained. But beyond a thick coating of dust, nothing rewarded his search.

At length, as a last resort, he reluctantly shouted for May Ellen.

"Wal, sir?"

"May Ellen, who's been explorin' this secretary of mine? Some of the things that oughter be in it, ain't," blustered he. "My handcuffs an' sheriff's badge."

"Mercy on us! You don't tell me a crime's been committed in Wilton! I guess it's the first time in all the town's history. Won't folks be agog? It'll stir up the whole community."

"You mustn't peep about this outside, May Ellen," Elisha cautioned. "Was you to, no end of harm might be done. The criminal, you see, is still at large an' we want to trap him 'fore he suspects we're after him. Now 'bout the badge an' handcuffs. You see how important 'tis I should have 'em. They was in the drawer an' the whole place is messed up an' sticky as if some person who had no business meddlin' had overhauled it."



"You Mustn't Peep About This Outside, May Ellen."

"It's that miserable Tommy Cahoon!" interrupted May Ellen. "His mother left him an' Willie here with me a week ago when she went to Sawyer Falls shoppin'. The little monkeys must 'a' sneaked indoors when I wasn't lookin' an' took that an' the handcuffs. I'm sorry. Last I saw of the imps they was out yonder under the apple trees. S'pose we have a look there."

Almost beside himself with an indignation he dared not voice, Elisha followed May Ellen out of doors.

Yes, trampled into the sodden ground lay the badge. There, too, lay the handcuffs, tightly snapped together and without a trace of a key to unlock them.

Elisha dubiously eyed the muddy objects. Well, at least, thought he, everything was not lost. He had gained time.

To wear his badge until a new pin was soldered to it was out of the question. In addition, the handcuffs were of no use at all unless a key could be found to unlock them.

As he turned to re-enter the house, Eleazer hailed him.

"I've had the devil of a time with this revolver," announced he, puffing into the yard and jauntily flourishing the weapon. Then regarding his comrade's greenish countenance, he remarked abruptly, "Say, what's the matter with you, 'Lish?"

Elisha told his story.

"Wal, if that ain't the ole Harry!" fumed Eleazer. "That's goin' to ball us all up. There's no use doin' this thing if it ain't done in bang-up style. We got to get that badge soldered an' them handcuffs unlocked 'fore another move can be made. I s'pose mebbe Nate Harlow over to Belleport could help us out."

"An' go blabbin' all over town the predicament the Wilton sheriff was in? No—sir—ee! Not if I know it. The only thing to do is to motor to Sawyer Falls an' hunt up Pete McGrath, the blacksmith. He's a wizard with tools. I never knew no job to stump him yet. He'll know what to do."

Accordingly the two men set forth on their errand.

They rode in uncomfortable silence until the white spire of the Sawyer Falls church appeared and, rounding the bend of the road, the car rolled into the town.

The small shed where the forge stood was close by the railroad tracks and as he pulled up before it, Elisha espied through its doorway not only Peter McGrath, the blacksmith, but also the rotund figure of Artie Nickerson, the Sawyer Falls station agent.

They went in and after the usual greetings, Elisha stated his errand.

McGrath took the handcuffs and badge to the light and examined them.

"Humph! Looks as if you'd been in some sort of a scrimmage," he commented. "But I'll start on 'em straight away. I ain't busy on nothin' that can't be put aside."

Elisha and Eleazer strolled over to a box and sat down to wait.

"How are you, Art?" Elisha inquired, "Say, didn't you have a nephew or a cousin 'sociated with a police force somewheres?"

"Bennie, you mean? Oh, yes. He's a policeman out in Chicago. Just now he's laid up in the hospital, but he 'spects to be out again 'fore long. Got shot through the arm a couple of weeks ago. Winged by a stray bullet while chasin' up a guy that had broke into a store. The shrimp hit him. Luckily he didn't kill him. Ben thought he got off pretty easy."

Elisha's smile faded.

"These fellers that's at large now don't give a hang who they murder," went on the station agent affably. "They're a desperate crew. They'd as soon kill you as not. Bennie landed his man, though. He's done great work on the force. Been shot three or four times while on duty. 'Tain't a callin' I myself would choose, but he seems to get a big kick out of it."

Elisha, pale to the lips, suddenly decided he had heard enough of Bennie and shifted the subject.

"S'pose you're still goin' round in the same old treadmill over at the station, Art," he observed.

"Yep. Same ole rut. I've had, though, a bit more telegraphin' to do of late than formerly. Know a feller over to Wilton named Heath? He's sent off several wires. Lives in New York at one of them big hotels. He sent a wire to his wife. Leastways, I figger 'twas his wife. He signed himself 'Lovingly, Stanley,' an' addressed it to Mrs. Stanley Heath."

"You don't say! That's news to me," Elisha cried. He darted a glance at Eleazer.

Artie, gratified at seeing he had created a sensation, beamed broadly.

"'Course I ain't permitted to divulge messages that go through my hands. They're confidential. But for that I could tell you somethin' that would make your eyes pop outer their sockets."

"Somethin' about Heath?"

"Somethin' he said in a telegram."

Elisha had an inspiration.

"S'pose I was to ask you officially?" he suggested. "S'pose it's important for me to know what was in that message? S'pose I demanded you tell me in the name of the law? I'm askin' you as sheriff of the town of Wilton."

"Oh, that's different. The wire was just sent to a friend. The part that astonished me was its beginnin'. It ran somethin' like this:

"'Safe on Cape with my lady. Shall return with her later.'"

"What interested me," droned Artie, "was who this lady could be. Heath, apparently, is a married man. What business has he taggin' after some Wilton woman an' totin' her back to New York with him when he goes?"

"He ain't got no business doin' it," Eleazer shouted. "He's a blackguard—that's what he is! But don't you worry, Artie. He ain't goin' to put no such scurvy trick over on any Wilton woman. Me an' 'Lish'll see to that. How much more tinkerin' have you got to do on them trinkets, Pete? The sheriff an' me is in a hurry to get home."

"You'll have to give me a good half hour more."

"That'll mean we won't fetch up at Wilton 'til after dark," Eleazer fretted.

"There's no use goin' up in the air an' rillin' Pete all up, Eleazer," Elisha intervened. "We'll just have to be patient an' put off what we was plannin' to do until tomorrow. I reckon mornin'll be a better time, anyway. Certainly 'twill do just as well."

"Mebbe," Eleazer grumbled. "Still, I'm disappointed. Wal, that bein' the case, s'pose you an' me step over to the drug store while we're hangin' round an' do them errands we mentioned."

Elisha agreed.

A faint flush had crept back into his cheeks and his eyes had regained their light of hope.

He had wrested from Fate another twelve hours of life, and life was sweet.

CHAPTER VII

DAWN was breaking over Wilton when a trim motor car, bearing a New York number plate, slipped quietly into the village and drew up at the town garage.

From it stepped a man, small and somewhat bent. "May I leave my car here?" he inquired of the lad who was sweeping out the building.

"Sure!"

"Fill her up for me, please. And you might clean her a bit. Can you tell me where a Mr. Heath is staying?"

"Heath? The chap who ran aground on the Crocker Cove sand bar? He's over to The Widder's."

"Where's that?"

"The Widder lives out yonder at the Homestead."

"How does one get there?"

"Wal, the only way to reach the house when the tide's full, as 'tis now, is to row."

"Where'll I find a boat?"

"That I couldn't say. The Widder keeps hers t'other side of the channel. Mebbe, though, if you was to go down to the beach some fisherman would give you a lift across. 'Most any of 'em would admire to if you're a friend of Marcia Howe's."

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The Newark Register

By MISS BARBARA LAUDENSLAGER

School of Missions Ends At Newark Presbyterian

The School of Missions of the Presbyterian church ended its series of meetings Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Custer, recently of South America, were guests of the evening. Custer, who was an educator in South America, told of his work and experiences while there.

TELLS OF WORK

Mrs. E. E. Mathes, Mrs. Fred Muller, Mrs. Robert Grace and Mrs. Margaret Fyfe attended a mission in Oleum yesterday. Mrs. Mathes told of her missionary work and experiences with the Indians in New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Among those from Newark who attended the football game in Berkeley Saturday, between California and Washington, were Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Scott, Miss Elizabeth Laudenslager, Robt. Sweeny and Henry Robinson.

Hayward Theater

Thursday, Friday-Saturday, November 14, 15 16:
Clark Gable, JeanHarlow and Wallace Beery in—
"China Seas"
Also Ted Lewis and Virginia Bruce in—
"Here Comes the Band"

Sunday-Monday-Tuesday, November 17, 18, 19:
Paul Muni in—
"Scarface"
With George Raft and Ann Dvorak.
Also Warren William and Patricia Ellis in—
"The Case of the Lucky Legs"

Wednesday, November 20:
Boris Karloff in—
"The Black Room"
Also Norman Foster in—
"Ladies Crave Excitement"

Firemen Eke Out One More Run than Juniors

The baseball game played Sunday between the Firemen and Junior Chamber of Commerce, for the benefit of the chamber, ended with a score of twenty-one to twenty-two with the Firemen the winners.

Howard and Eldred Laudenslager will be innitiated into the Centerville lodge, No. 170, of the Knights of Pythias Thursday evening.

Swainsons' Beauty Parlor. Phone Centerville 117.—J10tfc

DAUGHTER BORN

Mrs. Clarence Springer gave birth to a baby girl Monday morning at the Silva maternity home in Niles.

SOCIETY MEET

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held their monthly meeting in the church parlors Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dewhurst, together with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barton, enjoyed a theater party in Oakland Monday.

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John Frietas, accompanied by his brother, Tony, and Ed. Bruno, of Oakland were clamming in Watsonville Saturday.

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Donald Dias, Bud Kettman and Melvin Vargas were fishing on the San Joaquin river Sunday.

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Mrs. B. E. Laudenslager and children, together with Robert Sweeny and Marion Moffitt, were abalone fishing in Monterey Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoffman and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Crislak and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sarmento, and children, spent the week-end in Monterey. They enjoyed cod and abalone fishing.

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Marco Medin, of San Francisco, visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Scott over the week-end.

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Miss Barbara Laudenslager was confined to her bed several days with a severe cold last week.

Mourning Dove Like Pigeon

The female mourning dove looks very much like a pigeon. Her dress is dull grayish brown or fawn colored, and she lacks the coloring around the neck which distinguishes the male. When in repose the female is a flabby, supine, shiftless-looking creature, but she inspires one of the most famous of all bird love calls. Perhaps the male mourning dove is inspired to his plaintiff call in appreciation of the refinement of his mat

ELECTRICITY COSTS WILL BE REDUCED $4,000,000

As a result of technological progress, increased volume and sound management, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company will slash electric rates in California, with savings of $4,000,000 a year to power users.

The new and reduced rates will go into effect immediately after next month's meter readings, and will show on the January bills. They will apply to all classes of residential service, to commercial lighting and to power for large industrial establishments. As a result, homemakers in the rural areas will find their bills reduced one-half cent per kilowatt hour, or an approximately ten per cent for the average user.

This is the third major reduction in Pacific Gas and Electric Company electric rates in less than eight years. Meanwhile prices of other commodities have mounted steadily and are continuing to soar.

In making the reduction, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company is following its permanent policy of cutting down expenses whenever and wherever it can, and passing the savings on to its consumers in the fonm of lower rates.

The decrease in rates follows the company's tentative promise a year ago, that reductions would go into effect if the "half-off for extra electricity" plan succeeded in stepping up consumption. The plan did encourage greater use, and company officials hope that the present reductions and better business conditions will promote even greater consumption.

Spiders and Stars

Spiders' webs have many uses. Without them astronomers would find it harder to make accurate observations. The eye pieces of their telescopes are marked into sections by very fine lines, which are really pieces of web held in place by spots of varnish. Webs are used because it is impossible to have finer as well as equally distinct lines by any other method. There are other uses, too, for webs. An instrument maker in York employs a man specially to collect spiders and webs. Only a special kind of spider is caught, the "eperira dradematа," which is usually found on gorse bushes and has a cross on its back. The spiders are made to wind their webs on special forks.

CHRISTMAS PARTY IS PLANNED BY ARTS ORGANIZATION

Ten members and two guests attended the meeting of the Arts and Crafts Guild, held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Gladys Williamson.

The resignation of Mrs. Justine Adams, as secretary, was accepted, and Mrs. E. B. Hodges named in her place, to serve out the term. Mrs. Adams moving to Castro alley necessitated her dropping work in the group. Mrs. Hodges' place as director at large will be filled by Mrs. Lawrence Bunting.

It was decided to hold a Christmas party, the date tentatively set for December 10, at the home of Mrs. Bunting. The next regular meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Nell Myers on January 14.

The program Tuesday included two piano selections by June Farrington: "Songs of Spring" by Grieg, and "In a Country Garden" by Percy Grainger. Henri Salz gave a talk on the forms of music.

In the art section, there were displays of pictures done by Mrs. Ethel Grau and Miss Phoebe Ormsby. D. R. Rees gave a short talk on photography.

The prose section offerings included a talk on newspaper work by Mrs. Gladys Williamson, supplemented by the reading of a sample of a newspaper article by Mrs. Norman H. Parks.

LIONS HEAR TRAPPER TELL OF WINTER ACTIVITIES

James Ross, Centerville man, as guest of James M. McElhinny, was main speaker at the Lions Club meeting Tuesday night. Ross, a professional trapper, told the group of his winter activities in the ranges.

At the business session, Harold De Leon, dance chairman, stated that all is in readiness for the club affair to be held at Swiss park on December 7.

Numerous members are planning to attend the Golden Gate meeting, to be held at Concord, on November 21.

MISSION SAN JOSE NEWS

TURKEY SHOOT

The Tangle and Twist Fishing Club, Mission San Jose sportsmen's organization, is planning a turkey-shoot, to be held on November 17.

Miss Amelia Amaral has returned to her home here after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Briar, at Calistoga.

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Mr. and Mrs. Antone J. Abreu were San Jose visitors Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pereira spent Sunday and the holiday visiting with relatives at Sacramento.

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Mrs. Minnie Frates visited with San Francisco friends on Armistice day.

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Mrs. Gertrude Souza and daughter, Mrs. Charles Hutton, and son, of San Jose, and several friends spent Sunday with Mission San Jose friends.

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Jack Pereira, of Mission San Jose, and Miss Mary Prentise, of Oakland, were San Jose visitors Friday.

Thickness of Earth's Crust

The thickness of the earth's crust has been variously computed to be ten, twenty or more miles. Observatioss on earthquake motion by Milne and others indicate that the rock material may extend for some thirty miles. Researches in regard to the radioactive substances present in rocks suggest that the crust is not more than fifty miles thick.

Where Word "Tariff" Comes From

Tarifa, on the most southerly point of Spain, is an old pirate stronghold from which we derive the word tariff. The name signifies "the reckoning." Formerly the pirates levied toll from all merchant ships plying the coast. The town is a barbaric place and its houses, with barred and shuttered windows, are visible from passing ships.

FARMERS STUDYING POTATO CONTROL REQUIREMENTS

Potato growers in Washington township are making a study of requirements imposed by the new potato control act, which will go into effect soon, according to Paul Daugherty, agricultural instructor at the Washington Union High school.

A survey of the market conditions will be made, and a maximum quota set for the tubers. Growers will be allowed to market a quantity of potatoes reasonably near the quantity previously grown by them, after showing evidence that they are not appreciably increasing their acreage. Growers who attempt to gain undue profit by marketing more than their stipulated maximum at the better price, will have their excess bushels taxed seventy cents per hundred. Money derived from this source will later be distributed from the central fund to those growers who remained "within the law."

According to Daugherty, the potato control plan is a sensible effort to control destructive "ups and downs" in the market, which have ruinous results on prices to the growers. By regulating the flow of potatoes into the market, in such quantities to fill all needs, the price will be sustained at a profitable level, rather than have the market "broke" by huge surpluses, as it has been in the past.

Growers throughout the Alvarado section, where the tubers are produced in quantity, seem optimistic about the plan.

ANNUAL BAZAAR

Members of the St. Joseph's parish, at Mission San Jose, are making preparations for their annual bazaar, to take the form of an old time affair this year. The fete will be held for two days, November 20 and 21, at the I. D. E. S. hall.

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last line, where he fumbled. Ted Logan fell on the free ball for the tally. Peasanton came back in the second quarter to score after recovering a fumble.

The Washington squad, coached by Albert Silveria, star end with the team of 1925, consisted of the following:

Ends, George Maderios and Art Duarte; tackles, Mel Teeter and Frank Phippen; guards, Sam Dinsmore and Tom Rivers; center, Jim Booras; halfbacks, Ed. Rose and William Ramos; quarter, Wes Raso, and fullback, Glenn Boyce. Others who saw action were Ted Logan, Reg Agna, Joseph Amaral, Clarence Pine, Louis Manuel, Eldred Laudenslager, John Silva and Ed. Bernard.

In the evening the township post held its annual Armistice day dinner at the Memorial building, Niles, with a number of prominent local men as guests. Entertainment was furnished by Lucio and Mario Campos. There were dance numbers, instrumental and vocal selections. Speaker of the evening was E. Dixon Bristow.

Committeemen who arranged for the dinner meeting were: Jack Vieux, chairman; George Smith, R. Reider, Dale Carruthers, Lucio Campos and several others.

Manuel Swartz, post commander, thanked fellow post members for their effort and industry in making the day a success. He also extended the post's appreciation to businessmen who closed their establishments in honor of the day.

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Congregational Church News

The pastor has an unusual subject for the Sunday morning service, entitled "I Am Third." He will speak on our loyalties and the highest good we can accomplish on this earth.

A special evening service will feature A. Dodge, of Palo Alto, who will present a series of lantern-slides on the mid-Pacific islands. Mr. Dodge was for many years a missionary to the islands and will be most inspiring and entertaining. Everyone interested is most cordially invited to attend. The meetng will begin at 8 o'clock. There will be special singing.

Sunday school meets between 10 and 10:55. Christian Endeavor at the parsonage between 7 and 8 o'clock.

Saturday morning at 8 o'clock the boys in Mr. Gordon's class will meet at the church to start on a fossil hunting trip to Mt. Diablo. Each boy will bring his lunch.

WINTER
POTATOES
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